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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application in the name of:

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for APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR ENHANCING SPEECH QUALITY IN DIGITAL COMMUNICATIONS. The application comprises a 46-page specification including 27 claims (2 independent) and Abstract, 9 sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-9).

Also accompanying this application for filing is:

- (1) Preliminary Amendment to Lessen Fee; and
- (2) A certified copy of Korean Application No. 10-2002-71928, filed November 19, 2002, the priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

This application is being filed under 37 C.F.R. §1.53 (without Declaration or Filing Fee). The required Declaration and Filing Fee will be filed subsequently.

Should a fee be necessary to obtain a filing date, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees set forth in §§1.17 or 1.492 during the pendency of this application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1358. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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